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In re Application of:

Kenneth Lawrence Accardi et al.

Serial No.: 09/199,506

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For: MEDICAL DIAGNOSTIC SYSTEM
SERVICE METHOD AND APPARATUS

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Group Art Unit: 215 Technology Center 2100

Examiner: Jaroenchonwanit, B.

Atty. Docket: 15-SV-4769/YOD
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NOTICE OF APPEAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.191 FROM THE DECISION OF THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals and Interferences from the final decision, dated April 9, 2002, of the primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 1-44 of the above-referenced application.

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01 FC:119 The Commissioner is authorized to charge the requisite filing fee of \$320.00 (Notice of Appeal), and any additional fees which may be required, to the credit card listed on the attached PTO-2038. However, if the PTO-2038 is missing, if the amount listed thereon is insufficient, or if the amount is unable to be charged to the credit card for any other reason, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 06-1315; Order No. GEMS:0029/YOD (15-SV-4769).

General Authorization for Extensions of Time

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicants hereby provide a general authorization to treat this and any future reply requiring an extension of time as incorporating a request

therefor. Furthermore, Applicants authorize the Commissioner to charge the appropriate fee for any extension of time to Deposit Account No. 06-1315: Order No. GEMS:0029/YOD (15-SV-4769).

Date: 7/9/2002

Respectfully submitted,

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